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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT  
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Ken Hill Attorney Docket No.: 30883.0300

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TITLE: CRACK SEALING APPARATUS WITH HEATED HOSE TROUGH

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Honorable Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action of January 27, 2005, the period of response for which is hereby extended by three months to July 27, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 4 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 9 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

An Appendix including corrected drawing figures is attached following page 10 of this paper.